HAPPY
HALLOWEEN!
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~Abortion~

Spanning The Lost Life

I DISCOVERED THIS BEFORE MY HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION DURING AUTUMN
YOU'VE BEEN PREGNANT FOR TWO MONTHS NOW,
LOOK, THIS IS YOUR BABY.
ALTHOUGH IT'S SMALL, IT HAS A VERY STEADY HEART BEAT, RIGHT?
It's true.
Inside my body.
So very small
But surviving so strongly.
WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO DO?
MOM, I ...
IS ABORT-ION OK?
AKIRA IS STILL IN MIDDLE SCHOOL LIKE YOU, THERE'S NO WAY YOUR GOING TO BE ABLE TO RAISE HIM!
BESIDES, YOUR EXAMS ARE UP SOON, JUST GIVE HIM UP!
BUT...
HE'S ALIVE; HE'S STILL A SOURCE OF LIFE!!

Why do we have to kill it?
ABO -RT IT !
BUT THIS IS YOUR BABY! HE'S ALIVE ...
I DON'T LIKE KIDS,
BESIDES, HE'S NOT BORN YET, IT'S NOT KILLING, RIGHT ?
Why... is this happen -ing ...
ABORTING IT NOW WILL CAUSE A GREAT IMPACT ON YOUR BODY,
PLEASE BEAR WITH IT !
IN THE END,
MY PARENTS FORCED ME TO GET THE ABORTION SURGERY.
depressed both emotionally and physically.
Akira is the only one I can rely on now.

IT WAS SO HARD BEFORE I HAD TO GIVE UP THE BABY..
AND NOW THERE IS NO BABY
I'm sorry so sorry..
AFTER THE ABORT-ION
AKIRA ABAND-ONED ME AND MADE A NEW GIRL FRIEND
BUT,
therefore

PLEASE FORGIVE YOUR MOTHER

SORRY FOR ALWAYS LEAVING EARLY!
I LEFT MY HOME TOWN AND MOVED TO THE CITY TO ATTEND HIGH SCHOOL AND BEGAN WORKING AT A RESTAURANT.
I WORK EVERYDAY UNTIL EXHAUSTION
OW!
Is guilt for the baby's lost life
Because my life right now
I AM TWO YEARS YOUNGER THAN OKANO-KUN I'LL BE FINE!
YOU HAVEN'T RESTED AT ALL DON'T GET TOO TIRED
HARUKI -SAN TAKING EXTRA SHIFTS AGAIN?

SORRY FOR THE WAIT
SO CUTE...
MY BABY...
IF HE WAS STILL ALIVE, HE WOULD ALSO BE ABOUT THIS BIG...
I CAN LIVE A LOT MORE CAREFREE THIS WAY...
IF,
HE WERE STILL ALIVE
AH ...
UWAAA ...
UWAAA ...

so find something to cover up the easy
sure
Okano -kun
OK !
WE WILL CLEAN THIS UP IMMEDIA -TELY
SO VERY SORRY,
ALRIGHT, ALL CLEAN !
MAYBE I SHOULD BECOME A NANNY.
really?
I shouldn't answer that
YOU'RE SO SKILLED ...
THANK GOD SHE FORGAVE YOU.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH
DON'T WORRY,
I TAKE CARE OF MY BROTHER'S KIDS ALL THE TIME, SO I'M USED TO IT.
THEY'RE SO CUTE!
I NEVER KNEW OKANO-KUN LIKE KIDS
BUT...IT'S NOT GOOD TO SPACE OUT DURING WORK...
I... KNEW IT!
I'M.. SO SO-RRY..
THERE-FORE, WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO OUT?
EH?
NO WAY...
THIS IS A WELL-KNOWN FACT
STRESS-ING TOO MUCH IS NOT GOOD FOR YOU
FOR OKANO-KUN'S KIND-NESS,
WE WENT OUT DURING THE SHOP'S BREAK
SO NERVOUS JUST THE TWO OF US...
WE'RE HERE,
DO YOU LIKE THIS TYPE OF PLACE?

ZOO
I LOVE IT ...
THEN MY THINKING DIDN'T GO TO WASTE...
LET'S GO!
Great
Does koalas really only sleep four hours or so a day, though?
SO HAPPY
WOW SUCH BEAUTY
I HAVEN'T BEEN THIS HAPPY IN SO LONG
ISN'T THAT OBVIOUS
THE LEOPARD REALLY DOES HAVE SPOTS!
OW ... I TWI -STED IT !
OH, IT'LL HEAL BY ITSELF
BUT ...
IS IT OK? YOU'RE REALLY HURT
I'M REALLY OK ...
AND IT'S MY FAULT I GOT INJURED
THIS IS MORE RELAXED

HOW COULD THIS BE!
YOU WANT TO JUST LEAVE IT?
WHY AM I SO STUPID
AT LEAST USE A HANDKER-CHIEF
AH, IT'S NOT BRUISED UP ANYMORE
JUST BARE WITH IT LIKE THIS FOR AWHILE
WHY
WET HANDKERCHIEFS SHOULD BE COLD, BUT WHY DO I FEEL SO WARM

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR TODAY
AL-RIGHT
HARUKI-SAN...
WOULD YOU LIKE TO DATE ME?
VERY...
WARM...
EH..
IT'S TRUE THAT I TOOK YOU OUT TODAY TO FRESHEN YOUR MIND
BUT I'VE ALSO ALWAYS WANTED TO GO OUT WITH YOU

I'VE NEVER THOUGHT ABOUT "DATING"
I DON'T KNOW WHEN IT STARTED BUT...
MY EYE-SIGHT COULDN'T LEAVE THE HARD WORKING YOU, AND STARTED FALLING IN LOVE WITH YOU
I ...
THIS IS TOO SUDDEN, RIGHT? YOU DON'T HAVE TO ANSWER ME RIGHT AWAY
BECAUSE I DON'T WANT TO THINK ABOUT IT AGAIN
Let's GO
CAN I TRUST HIM?
I WON'T GET HURT AGAIN...?

I SHOULD ANSWER HIM PROPER -LY
MOR -NING ...
ARE YOU OK? YOU DON'T LOOK TOO GOOD
IT WASN'T BECAUSE OF YESTER -DAY, WAS IT?
NO, I'M JUST A LITTLE TIRED
LET'S GO OUT AGAIN AFTER YOU FEEL BETTER
NO ...
SO ... SOR -RY
I... I DON'T WANT TO DATE RIGHT NOW
I'VE BEEN DUMPED BY MY PREVI -OUS BOY -FRIEND
I CAN'T TRUST ANYMORE GUYS
SO, MAYBE IT'S BETTER IF YOU DATE SOMEONE ELSE...
DO YOU REALLY THINK SO?
IS IT REALLY OK TO BE ALONE?

I WILL TREA -SURE YOU
I AM DIFFERENT FROM THAT GUY
SORRY IF IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS
BUT MY INTENTIONS WEREN'T TO JUST PLAY AROUND
SO PLEASE,
TRUST ME
BE TOGETHER WITH ME
THE CURRENT ME
IF I DO MY BEST TO TAKE THE FIRST STEP

OK ...
MAYBE I COULD ALSO EXPERIENCE HAPPINESS
AT THE BEGINNING OF OUR RELATION-SHIP, HE REALLY DID TREASURE ME.
HE SURROUNDED ME WITH HAPPI-NESS.
I'll work!
Thank you
Kiss me by my first name.
Umm. Shin. ichi
Then I'll also call you Natsukawa-kun to be even.
SO HAPPY.
THIS PRECIOUS FEELING OF BEING WITH SOMEONE, I'VE FINALLY EXPERIENCED IT.
hahaha

SHIN
...
IT'S DIFFERENT FROM USUAL
...EH...
WE'RE TRYING OUR BEST
EN...
AH
...
SHINICHI
...

"THIS ISN'T A REAL LIFE"
"ABORT IT!"
"MUMMY, SAVE ME!"

NOOOOOOOOO!
"DON'T KILL ME ..."
HANA, WHAT'S WRONG?
SO ...
I'M SORRY ...
SORRY ...

I'M REAL
COMFORTABLE
IN SHINICHI'S
ARMS
I WON'T DO THIS AGAIN, SO DON'T WORRY
AND I WANT TO BE MORE CLOSE TO SHINICHI
BUT I'M STILL REALLY SCARED
...I
AM I REALLY QUALIFIED TO BE SHINICHI'S GIRLFRIEND ...
DON'T WORRY,
SORRY, I WAS TOO SUDDEN.

SORRY ...
YOU'RE RIGHT HERE, AND YET MUMMY IS STILL PANICKING
ISN'T IT BETTER IF I JUST BROKE UP WITH SHINICHI...?
BUT... I DON'T WANT TO
BUT I'M AFRAID THAT HE'LL HATE ME IF I TOLD HIM THE TRUTH
I'M REALLY SCARED..
hold tight
I ONLY JUST THOUGHT OF MYSELF...

HE'S MAD ...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, NOT PICKING UP YOUR PHONE!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS LATE AT NIGHT?
SHIN-CHI ?
I WENT .. TO...
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I SAW SHINICHI LIKE THIS
WHAT DO I DO
IT'S OK ...
I THOUGHT MAYBE YOU GOT HURT BECAUSE I WAS RUSHING INTO THINGS
AND WHEN I THINK ABOUT IT, I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO
IT'S NOT THAT ...

TO ME, HANA IS IRRIPLACE-ABLE IN MY HEART
PLEASE DON'T LEAVE MY SIDE ...

SORRY
I'M SORRY ...
I THOUGHT I WAS THE ONLY ONE HURTING
BUT,
SHINICHI IS SUFFEREING JUST AS MUCH AS I AM
SHIN-ICHI ...

I WONT REGRET BEING TOGET-HER WITH SHINICHI
I WANT TO BE EMBRACED BY YOU ...
YOU DON'T HAVE TO FORCE YOUR-SELF
NO
LA FIESTA
LA FIESTA
BECAUSE NO ONE WOULD TREASURE ME AS MUCH AS YOU DO
holds tight
I WANT TO BE A GIRL WHO WOULDN'T BE AFRAID
WELL THEN ...
I WANT SHINICHI TO KNOW THAT I LOVE HIM JUST AS MUCH

NO...
ARE YOU SCAR-ED
AH ...
SO HAPPY...

ME TOO ...
HEY BABY RESTING IN HEAVEN,
CAN MUMMY LIKE SHINCHI?

THIS FEELING
IS BLOSSOMING WITHIN ME
SHINICHI AND ME HAVE BEEN TRYING OUR BEST
TO ME, SHINICHI HAS ALSO BECOME SOMEONE IRRIPLACEABLE
AND I NOW HAVE COURAGE TO GO OUT WITH SHINICHI
COULD IT BE
...
SO UNCOMFORTABLE
WHEN WAS MY LAST PERIOD AGAIN?

SHINICHI
YOU'RE PREG-NANT
WHAT DO I DO - WE HAVE TO GET ANOTHER ABORTION
KILL HIM LIKE THE TIME BEFORE?
I WANT TO PROTECT HIM

HAVE IT!
I'VE THOUGHT IT THROUGH, I CAN'T THINK OF A REASON TO GET AN ABORTION
AND I'M GRADUA-TING SOON
LET'S GET MARRIED AND RAISE OUR BABY TOGETHER!
REALLY ..?
...YOU DON'T WANT
OF COURSE NOT.

I...
IT'S JUST UN-BELIE-VEABLE ...
CAN BE A MUMMY..
I'M REALLY SO HAPPY...
WHAT?
OK, LET'S GO TO MY HOUSE
WE HAVE TO DO THIS SOMEDAY
AND I WANT TO INTRODUCE YOU TO MY FAMILY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

IS IT BETTER TO JUST SAY IT ...
I DON'T DESERVE TO BE TREATED THIS NICELY
I have some thing more I'm to tell you and my girlfriend will also be coming
IS IT REALLY OK FOR ME NOT TO TELL HIM ABOUT THE PREVIOUS BABY...?
Ok then
don't rush yourself
IT'S LIKE I'M LYING TO SHINICHI, IT FEELS SO BAD...
COME IN!
I TOLD THEM, LETS GO!
We arrived.
BRO! WHY DID YOU SUDDENLY DECIDE TO GET MARRIED ...
MOM AND DAD WERE FREAK-ED OUT
LET'S TALK ABOUT THAT LATER
SERIO-USLY!
THIS IS MY SISTER
sorry she's so noisy

AKIRA'S...
THIS IS MY GIRLFRIEND HATSU-HANA ...
GIRL-FRIEND ...!?
YOU ...
ARE YOU OK, HANA
DOES YOUR STOMACH HURTS AGAIN?
U ...
...OH

YOU GOT PREG-NANT AGAIN
AKIRA TOLD ME
WH ...
HE SAID YOU USED THE EXCUSE OF PREGNANCY TO LOCK GUYS UP. HE THOUGHT YOU WERE EVIL SO HE DUMPED YOU.
YOU GOT FOOLED TOO BRO!
OF COURSE THAT GUY WAS SAD TOO, SO I DUMPED HIM REALLY QUICKLY
BUT...

...
HANA, IS THIS TRUE ?
...NO...
NO...
SHINICHI WILL LOOK DOWN ON ME
HANA ...
HE WILL HATE ME
CAN YOU REALLY MARRY THIS WOMAN WHO KILLED HER BABY WITHOUT EVEN BLINKING?

I'VE HURT SHINICHI...
ARE YOU MAD NOW...?
BECAUSE I COULDN'T GIVE YOU HAPP-INESS...
WHAT AM I DOING?
MUMMY IS A BAD PERSON, SORRY...
SORRY

SORRY ...
SHIN-ICHI!
I MUST TELL HIM... I'M SORRY, I JUST RAN AWAY THE OTHER DAY
QUIETLY TELLING HIM I'M SORRY...
OKANO COME HERE FOR A SECOND!
OK
WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO TO GET HIM TO LISTEN TO ME ?
WE CAN'T GO BACK TO HOW IT WAS BEFORE !?

HATSUKI-SAN, YOU HAVE A PHONE CALL.
HELLO?
WHO IS IT?
HOW CAN I HELP YOU?
I AM SHINICHI'S MOTHER,
I WON'T ALLOW MY SON TO MARRY A PREGNANT HIGH SCHOOL GIRL.
WE WILL PAY FOR HALF THE BILL.
EH?
NO, I HAVEN'T BEEN WITH ANY GUY OTHER THAN SHINICHI
BESIDES, WE'RE NOT EVEN CERTAIN IT'S HIS BABY!

UNDER-STAND?
NO WAY!
JUST LIKE THIS
I HAVE TO BREAK UP WITH SHINICHI...?
GO GET AN ABOR-TION!

HARUKI-SAN!
DO I HAVE TO KILL THIS BABY...?
AGAIN
HARU-KI-SAN?
WE'RE RISKING MIS-CARRAGE.
I THINK YOU SHOULD STAY IN THE HOSPITAL AND GET THIS FIXED!
SO HOW IS MY BABY?
WILL HE DIE?

DON'T WORRY, THIS BABY IS VERY STRONG
HE MUST REALLY WANT TO SEE HIS MOTHER SO HE'S TRYING SO HARD
MUMMY SHOULD TRY HARD TOO!
I'M SO USE-LESS
HE STILL SEES ME AS MUMMY?
HE REALLY NEEDS ME...?
HATSU-HANA!
YOU GOT PREGNANT AGAIN? WHAT WERE YOU THINKING?!
AH!
'MAM YOU'RE SCARING THE BABY...
IT'S BETTER TO GET AN ABORTION.
WE DON'T NEED TO LIVE AT THE HOS-PITAL!
DOCTOR, PLEASE HELP US TAKE CARE OF THIS.

WHAT ...
ARE YOU SAY-ING?
I WANT TO HAVE IT
... NO,
I DON'T WANT TO KILL THIS BABY
I WON'T FAIL
I WILL MAKE THIS BABY HAPPY!
I'LL LOOK AFTER HIM BY MYSELF OR NOT!
YOU'RE STILL A BABY YOURSELF, HOW COULD YOU LOOK AFTER A BABY!
IT'S NOT LIKE THIS!

THE BABY'S EMOTIONS
KEPT REGRETTING IT AFTER ABORTING THE FIRST BABY.
I DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH I'VE TAKEN AWAY.
I ...
IT'LL BE TOO LATE IF YOU REGRET IT, AND YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GET RID OF IT.
THE PROBLEM IS YOU CAN'T DECIDE HALFWAY THAT YOU DON'T WANT TO RAISE THE BABY.
I STILL THINK THAT THE ME WHO KILLED THE BABY
IS IT REALLY OK TO KEEP LIVING LIKE THIS...
AND THE PERSON WHO HELD OUT HIS HANDS TO ME...
IS SHIN-ICHI ...

THIS IS THE PERSON I CHERISH MOST'S BABY.
I DON'T THINK OF THIS PREGNANCY AS JUST FOOLING AROUND.
I'VE DECIDED,
SO...
I'LL DEDICATE MY WHOLE LIFE TO LOVING THIS BABY.
NO MATTER WHAT MOTHER SAYS,

I'LL HAVE THIS BABY AND LOOK AFTER HIM!
HATSU -HANA ...
ARE YOU OK?
SHINICHI ...?
I WENT TO VISIT YOUR PREVIOUS BABY

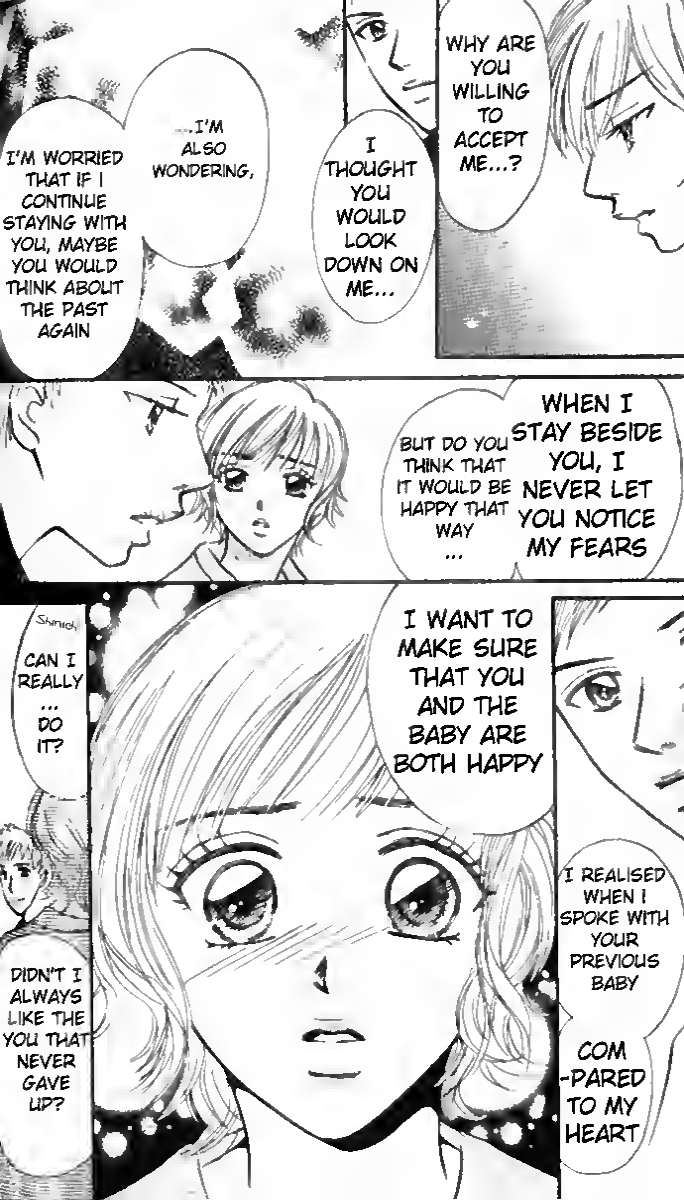
I TOLD HIM
I WILL BE YOUR FATHER
SO,
EH ...
PLEASE PROTECT MUMMY AND THIS BABY TOGETHER WITH DADDY!

THE PREVIOUS BABY AND I WILL ALWAYS STAY BESIDE YOU
WE WILL PROTECT YOU AND THE BABY
SO PLEASE DON'T WORRY
Shinichi

LET ME MARRY YOUR DAUGHTER
PLEASE
M'AM,
WE'RE PROBABLY NOT MATURE ENOUGH TO BE PARENTS
BUT I WILL PROTECT HANA AND HER CURRENT BABY
I WILL NOT MAKE THEM SUFFER
DO YOU MEAN ALL THAT?
Shinichi
YES
IF YOU'RE BOTH SERIOUS
THEN I HAVE NOTHING TO SAY

JUST TRY IT OUT!
THE SURGERY ROOM IS READY
I WON'T RUN AWAY
GOOD LUCK!
I DON'T WANT TO LOSE SOME THING IMPORTANT
YE -AH

AND THEN REG-RET IT LATER...
SO PLEASE,
DON'T DIE NO MATTER WHAT
HOLD ON TO YOUR MUMMY STOMACH TIGHTLY...
THE PROGRESS IS VERY SUCCESS-FUL,
THE BABY IS ALSO SAFE.
that's great.
SHIN-ICHI...
I'M GOING TO BE A FATHER


WHY ARE YOU WILLING TO ACCEPT ME...?
I THOUGHT YOU WOULD LOOK DOWN ON ME...
...I'M ALSO WONDERING,
I'M WORRIED THAT IF I CONTINUE STAYING WITH YOU, MAYBE YOU WOULD THINK ABOUT THE PAST AGAIN
WHEN I STAY BESIDE YOU, I NEVER LET YOU NOTICE MY FEARS
BUT DO YOU THINK THAT IT WOULD BE HAPPY THAT WAY ...
I WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT YOU AND THE BABY ARE BOTH HAPPY
I REALISED WHEN I SPOKE WITH YOUR PREVIOUS BABY
COM -PARED TO MY HEART
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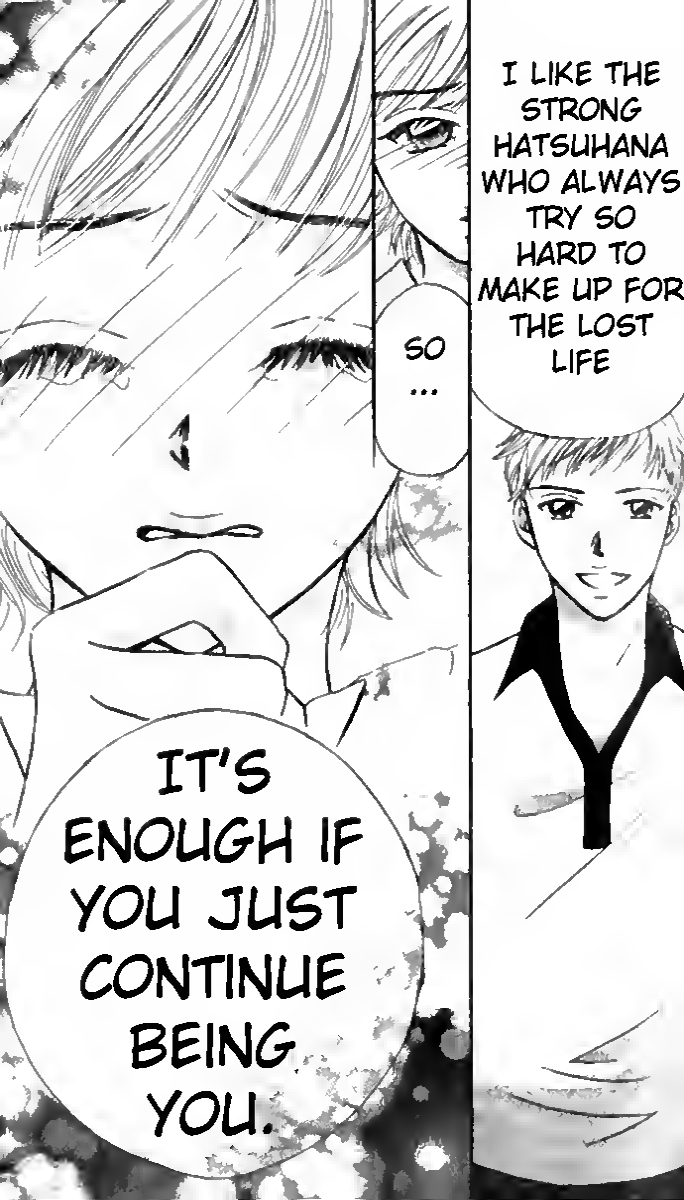
CAN I REALLY ... DO IT?
DIDN'T I ALWAYS LIKE THE YOU THAT NEVER GAVE UP?

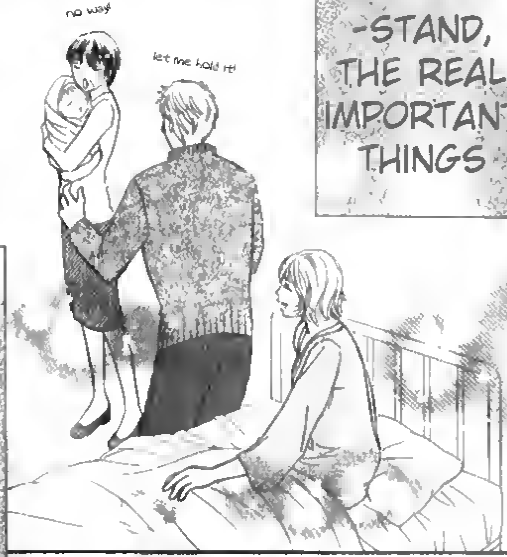

I LIKE THE STRONG HATSUHANA WHO ALWAYS TRY SO HARD TO MAKE UP FOR THE LOST LIFE
SO ...
IT'S ENOUGH IF YOU JUST CONTINUE BEING YOU.

YEAH ...
LET THE THREE OF US DO OUR BEST FROM NOW ON...
WE THEN MOVED TOWARDS THE MARRIAGE AND BIRTH
ALTHOUGH MY MOTHER ACCEPTED US,
BUT SHINICHI'S PARENTS ACCEPTED VERY RELUCTANTLY
FINALLY, THE DAY HAS COME
分娩中

I
SUCCESS FULLY GAVE BIRTH TO A BABY BOY.
SO CUTE ...
I LOVE HIM..
IT WON'T BE ENOUGH NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I HUG HIM.

YOU DID YOUR BEST
YOU PROTECTED HIM WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH.
THANK YOU FOR BEING BORN BESIDE ME
THANK YOU FOR GIVING ME THE JOY OF BEING A MOTHER

UNTIL THE LOSS OF A LIFE DO WE TRULY UNDER -STAND, THE REAL IMPORTANT THINGS



THAT'S WHY WE WANT TO BECOME STRONG -ER

ALTHOUGH THE MEMORY WILL NEVER FADE

BUT SURELY SOME-TIME

do I have something on my face?
WE WILL MEET WITH HAPPINESS...
HAPPY OR SAD
FROM NOW ON

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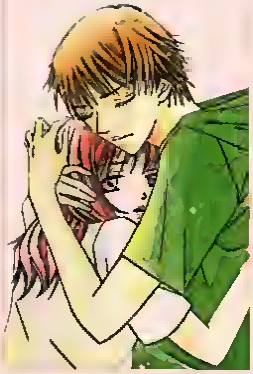

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WE HOPED, AND PRAYED
BUT THE MIRACLE WE WAITED FOR NEVER CAME
DROPPED...
They tried to warn us. They begged us to join but I was afraid I wouldn't be good enough.
MY NIGHTMARE HAD COME TRUE
I won't let this happen... Not Again...
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